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| For | : ADDRESSABLE TAP USED IN CABLE TV NETWORK | Examiner: --- |
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, it is respectfully
requested that the following amendments be made.